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HOLTS SUMMIT MAN INDICTED FOR THREE BANK ROBBERIES

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. – Todd P. Graves, United States Attorney for the Western District of Missouri, announced that a Holts Summit, Mo., man was indicted by a federal grand jury today in three bank robberies that occurred last May.

Jonathan George Jarden, 36, of Holts Summit, was charged in a three-count indictment returned by a federal grand jury in Jefferson City.

Count One of the federal indictment alleges that **Jarden** stole \$1,620 from Boone County National Bank in Columbia, Mo., on May 7, 2005.

Count Two of the federal indictment alleges that **Jarden** stole \$3,200 from Boone County National Bank on May 14, 2005.

Count Three of the federal indictment alleges that **Jarden** stole \$4,630 from Farmer's Bank of Lohman in Lohman, Mo., on May 27, 2005.

Graves cautioned that the charges contained in the indictment are simply accusations, and not evidence of guilt. Evidence supporting the charges must be presented to a federal trial jury, whose duty is to determine guilt or innocence.

This case is being prosecuted by Assistant U.S. Attorney Jim Lynn. It was investigated by the Federal Bureau of Investigation; the Cole County, Mo., Sheriff's Department; the Jefferson City, Mo., Police Department; the Columbia, Mo., Police Department; the Callaway County, Mo., Sheriff's Department; and the Holt's Summit, Mo., Police Department.

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